IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

IN RE ENRON CORP. SECURITIES, **DERIVATIVE & ERISA LITIGATION** § This Document Relates to Ś MARK NEWBY, § Plaintiffs, § v. ENRON CORP. ET AL., Defendants. ş ROBERT A. BELFER, ET AL., § Š Third-Party Plaintiffs, v. ASSOCIATED ELECTRIC & GAS **INSURANCE SERVICES, LTD., ENERGY INSURANCE MUTUAL, LTD.** 999 Third-Party Defendants, and FEDERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, 999999 ET AL., Third-Party Defendants. FEDERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, ET AL., 999999 Third-Party Counterclaim Plaintiffs v. ROBERT A. BELFER, ET AL., 999999 Third-Party Counterclaim Defendants, and JEFFREY ADLER, ET AL.,

Additional Third-Party Counterclaim Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. H-01-3624 AND CONSOLIDATED CASES

> United States Courts Southern District of Texas ENTERED

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Michael M. Hilby, Clark of Court

ORDER

The Court having heard Third-Party Counterclaim Defendants' Unopposed Motion for an Extension of Time to File a Response to Third-Party Counterclaim Plaintiffs' Counterclaim for Interpleader, the opposition thereto, if any, the pleadings, the evidence, and all other relevant matters, determines that the Motion should be GRANTED.

It is therefore ORDERED that Third-Party Counterclaim Defendants Kevin Howard and Michael Krautz shall have until December 22, 2004 by which Third-Party Defendants must answer, move, or otherwise respond to the First Amended Third-Party Counterclaim for Interpleader.

SIGNED this ____ day of _____ 2004.

THE HONORABLE MELINDA HARMON UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE